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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Hideki USUKI et al.

Group Art Unit: 1775

Serial No.: 09/684,927

Examiner: Ling X. Xu

Filed: October 10, 2000

For: PROTECTIVE LAYER TRANSFER SHEET

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME AND
TRANSMITTAL OF FEE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.17

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

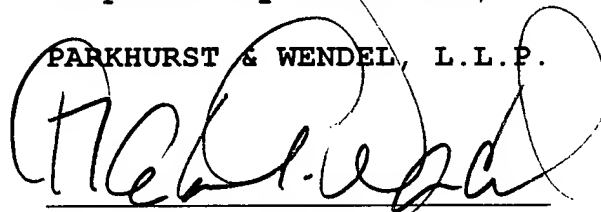
Transmitted herewith is a response to the outstanding Official Action in the above-identified application. The shortened statutory period having expired December 23, 2002, it is hereby requested that the period for response be extended for three months. There is also attached our Check No. 16493 in the amount of \$930.00 in payment for:

- ☐ Extension fee for response within first month pursuant to §1.136(a) (\$110.00) [\$55.00].
- ☐ Extension fee for response within second month pursuant to §1.136(a) (\$410.00) [\$205.00].
- ☒ Extension fee for response within third month pursuant to §1.136(a) (\$930.00) [\$465.00].

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fee (or credit any overpayment) associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 16-0331. A duplicate copy of this letter is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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